City of Deer Park
City Council Committee Meeting
Municipal Building
October 3, 2016
President Hedger opened the meeting at 7:00 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Guests - None

### Legislative and Finance Committee

#### September 2016 Income Tax Report

Ms. Newsom reported that the September 2016 income tax report is in the mailboxes and will be presented for approval at the October 10 city council meeting. We are ahead \$82,000 from this time last year

#### September 2016 JEDZ Report

Mr. Berens reported that the September 2016 JEDZ report will be presented for approval at the October 10 city council meeting.

#### **September 2016 Auditor's and Treasurer's Reports**

Mr. Berens reported that the September 2016 Auditor's and Treasurer's report will be presented for approval at the October 10 or October 24 city council meeting.

# Resolution 2016-22 Accepting the Amounts and Rates as Determined by the Budget Commission and Authorizing the Necessary Tax Levies and Certifying them to the County Auditor

Mr. Berens and Mr. Applegate announced that legislation 2016-22 Accepting the Amounts and Rates as Determined by the Budget Commission and Authorizing the Necessary Tax Levies and Certifying them to the County Auditor will be up for adoption at the October 10 city council meeting.

## **Duke Energy Natural Gas Central Corridor Extension Project**

President Hedger read a letter that Mayor Donnellon sent to Ohio Sitting Board Members in Columbus, OH regarding the concern that Duke Energy has submitted a request to waive the requirements to provide public information sessions or to make notification to residents impacted by the Central Corridor Extension Project. Residents and others in the area of the preferred route have not had an opportunity to hear directly from Duke Energy.

#### **World Trade Center Memorial Committee**

Mayor Donnellon announced that we already have two members for the World Trade Center Committee who will decide how to properly display the piece of subway track received from there. We are looking for more members from the Fire Department and the Deer Park Business Association.

### Moratorium on Marijuana Dispensaries

Mr. Berens and Mr. Tassell both announced that we are looking at zoning to possibly put a moratorium on marijuana dispensaries for the future. A discussion ensued regarding handling pharmacy issues and what is standard.

## Safety Committee

## September 2016 Deer Park-Silverton Joint Fire District Monthly Report

Mr. Berens stated that the September 2016 Fire District Report is in the mailboxes and will be given at next week's city council meeting on October 10. There is a Fire Board meeting on October 11 that Mr. Lenihan will be attending.

#### September 2016 Deer Park Police Department Monthly Report

Mr. Perin stated that the September 2016 Police Report will be ready and given at next week's city council meeting on October 10.

#### Civil Service Entrance Exam for the Position of Police Clerk/Dispatcher

Mr. Perin announced that the civil service entrance exam for police clerk/dispatch is scheduled for November 16 at 7 pm in the community center. Mr. Berens stated that there will be a notice on our website and in the newspaper.

## **Public Works Committee**

#### **ULAP Demolition Project Update**

Mr. Berens announced that the contracts are signed and demolition is ready to start. There is no cost to the city as there is an approved grant and anything due above that is being paid by the owner.

#### **Hamilton County Storm Water Grants Update**

Mr. Berens stated that the Hamilton County Storm Water Grants are still in the planning stages.

### **OKI/ODNR Trails Grant Update**

Mr. Berens stated that there is nothing new to report on the OKI/ODNR Trails Grant project.

#### **Tree Right of Way Project**

Mr. Berens stated that there is nothing new to report on Tree Right of Way project. Mr. Tassell announced that there are ongoing meetings with the zoo.

#### Other Boards or Committees with a Report -Park Board

Mr. Lehane announced that the Pumpkinfest is scheduled for this Saturday Oct. 8 from 4 pm - 10 pm. Volunteers are still needed to help with the booths.

The last Music in the Park for the year was well attended with good weather and the band sounded great.

The Cars in the Park car show for 2017 will be changed to a different week as there is another event that weekend that many of the participants attend.

#### **Schedule**

City Council Meeting, Monday, October 10, 2016 at 7:00pm Block Watch Meeting, Tuesday, October 18, 2016 at 7:00pm Park Board Meeting, Thursday, October 20, 2016 at 7:00pm City Council Meeting, Monday, October 24, 2016 at 7:00pm

<u>Announcements</u> – Mayor Donnellon announced that city council is invited to march in the Homecoming Parade on Thursday Oct. 13. Please meet at St. John's Church parking lot at 5:45 pm.

## **Adjournment**

Meeting adjourned at 7:29 pm.

Christine Hedger	Joan Perin	
President of Council	Clerk of Council	